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5 Persons Narrowly Escape Death at Fatal Intersection Of Canyon Road Yesterday

While highway officials continued to sit tight and do absolutely nothing toward installing traffic signals at the dangerous intersection of Highway 17 and Niles Canyon Road, another serious accident took place at 3:30 p.m. yesterday.

An automobile driven by Mitsugo Kawai, 733 Ramona street, Palo Alto, and occupied by three passengers, struck a large 65,000-pound concrete truck and trailer owned by the Hayward Building Material Company.

SWERVES MACHINE

A. Arbogart, Hayward, driver of the truck, told investigating officers that he was driving north on Highway 17 and observed the car approaching on his right. He assumed the car would halt at the stop sign but as he neared the intersection he realized that the other machine was continuing on across the road. He swerved the large machine sharply to the left but the passenger car struck the front of the trailer unit.

None of the persons involved in the accident were seriously injured but spectators who viewed a similar accident at the intersection three weeks ago could not help but comment on the miraculous escape of occupants of the passenger car in the crash yesterday.

SIMILAR ACCIDENT

Just three weeks ago to the day from yesterday's accident one youth was killed instantly and two so seriously injured that they are still listed as being in critical condition at Providence Hospital, in an accident at the same intersection.

In both accidents the drivers were not familiar with the road and apparently did not see the small stop sign located in a ditch several yards back of the intersection and far to the right of the center of the highway.

In both accidents the passenger car struck the second section of a cement truck headed north on Highway 17.

Only the quick maneuvering of the truck driver in yesterday's crash, plus the fact that the passenger car had steel instead of wooden doors like the station wagon involved in the earlier accident, prevented the crash from being more serious.

EDITOR'S NOTE

Saturday at the State Fair in Sacramento we heard through the grapevine: "Colonel Skeggs certainly cussed you and your Niles paper up and down for blasting him about that highway intersection."

District Engineer J. H. Skeggs of the Division of Highways, we understand, is a hard-spoken, hard-headed man, who can cuss like a colonel. But we don't mind.

In case he's interested, we'd like him to know that after another identical, nearly tragic accident yesterday at the intersection of Highway 17 and Niles Canyon Road, plenty of people in these parts are cussing him and his district of the Division of Highways.

But cussing won't save lives at that intersection, Colonel.

We demand that you install adequate warning signals.

WOULD IMPROVE SAFETY FACTORS AT NILES ROAD

At Tuesday's luncheon meeting of the Niles Chamber of Commerce, Secretary Vernon Ellsworth read a letter he had received from R. C. Wilkinson, Captain of the California Highway Patrol in Hayward.

The letter was in response to a letter sent to the highway patrol by the Chamber recently asking that the safety factors at the intersection of Niles Road and Highway 17 be improved.

Captain Wilkinson stated in his letter: "The Division of Highways has been contacted and have started a review of the conditions there and an investigation is to be made.

"A suggestion was made to them that a sign in the last turn before reaching the intersection from Niles Canyon, reading STOP AHEAD, would be of some help. Also a flashing red light above the intersection facing the boulevard Stop directions, with amber flashing on Highway 17. Your interest in this matter is greatly appreciated."

TWO NEW STORES FOR CENTERVILLE

Ground was broken Tuesday for the erection of a new business building in Centerville located on Main street next to the Bearcat Inn.

The new structure is being erected by Frank Crossman, local contractor, for J. P. Amaral and will be a one-story stucco building with a 44-foot frontage and 30 feet in length.

The interior of the building will be divided into two sections, one side, 30 by 24 feet, to house a new ladies' apparel shop and the other side, 21 by 30 feet, will be a new jewelry store.

The ladies' ready-to-wear shop will be operated by Mrs. Lester V. Amaral, the former Mildred Andrade. Mr. and Mrs. Amaral reside in Centerville where he is employed at the Midway Garage. The popular young couple are natives of Washington Township and graduates of Washington Union High School.

The new jewelry store will be opened by Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Van Scoy, also of Centerville. Mr. Van Scoy has many years experience as a watchmaker and since his discharge from the army has been employed at a jewelry store in San Jose. Mrs. Van Scoy, who will assist her husband in the store, is well known throughout this area, having been a member of the teaching staff of Washington Union High School for several years.

The new building is expected to be completed and ready for its tenants in 40 to 45 days.

Coming Events

FRIDAY

Community Chest meeting, Centerville, 8 p.m.

Rebekah Initiation, I.O.O.F. Hall, Niles, 8 p.m.

SUNDAY

Baseball, Irvington Field, 2 p.m.

MONDAY

Newark Mariners Club picnic, Hayward Memorial Park.

TUESDAY

Newark Women's Improvement Club, Hamson home.

WEDNESDAY

All schools open in township.

W.U.H.S. Faculty-Trustee barbecue, Alum Rock Park.

HIGHWAY ACCIDENT HERE SATURDAY

Despite the fact that traffic accident statistics zoomed throughout the bay area over the three-day week-end and holiday, only one accident involving injuries was reported in Washington Township.

The accident occurred Saturday at the intersection of Nursery and Decoto roads between automobiles driven by Dan Cruz, 3045 Chapman street, Oakland, and Peter Lopez, Newark. Cruz was rushed to Fairmont Hospital where his condition was listed as critical. Passengers in the Cruz machine were Tom Cruz and Manuel Damian, both of Oakland. Maria Guitierz, Newark, was a passenger in the Lopez car. The injured were taken to Fairmont Hospital in the Dallas Paul ambulance from Centerville.

VETERANS FLOCK TO LOCAL BANKS REDEEMING BONDS

Ex-servicemen and women of Washington Township followed pretty closely the pattern of their former comrades in other sections of the country in cashing in their Veterans Terminal Leave Bonds this week.

The bonds were given to the ex-enlisted personnel as pay for periods of leave or furlough for which they were entitled but did not receive while in the service. Congress had originally ruled that the bonds could not be converted into cash for a period of five years but the ruling was amended recently and September 2 was set as the first day for cashing in the bonds.

LINES FORMED

Two of the four banks in the township reported that there were lines of veterans waiting at the doors when they opened at 10 a.m. Tuesday but none of the banks reported the rush experienced in many cities.

L. C. Marriott, manager of Bank of America at Centerville, reported that his tellers were kept very busy Tuesday and Wednesday but did not reveal the amount of bonds redeemed.

At the Irvington Central Bank Manager C. M. Christensen reported that they had cashed $2,400 in bonds Tuesday and $1,700 Wednesday.

R. A. Blacow, manager of the Niles Central Bank, reported yesterday that his staff was kept busy redeeming the bonds Tuesday but stated that the rush had receded Wednesday.

EXPECT RUSH SATURDAY

The Central Bank in Alvarado reported that but a few veterans cashed in their bonds there, according to Manager F. W. Katzer.

All four banks are expecting a great increase in the bond cashing departments Saturday when the workers who are unable to get to the banks during the week will be off work.

SLICE FUNDS FOR SCHOOL CAFETERIAS

Elementary schools in Washington Township having school cafeterias were notified this week that the reimbursement from the federal government for the National School Lunch Program has been reduced from the nine cents per meal paid last year to five cents per meal this year.

This year's schedule reports that schools participating in the program will receive five cents rebate on each Type A meal with milk; three cents on Type B meals with milk; Type C meals, two cents.

In addition to the rebates the schools are afforded surplus commodities which will be shipped to them and the services of trained nutritionists to assist sponsors with menu planning, training of cafeteria personnel and other school lunch problems.

Irvington, Centerville, Decoto and Niles will continue operation of their cafeterias this year and new cafeterias will be opened at Alvarado and Alviso. Warm Springs has made application for a government sponsored cafeteria but Principal James Nunes stated this week that he has received no response as yet.

Standard price of the lunches to the students in the majority of the schools this year will be 20 cents for one student in a family and 15 cents for each additional member of the same family.

COMMUNITY CHEST MEETING TONIGHT

A meeting of the directors of the Washington Township Community Chest has been called for 8 p.m. today (Friday) at the Centerville Justice Court by Campaign Chairman Warren Gravestock.

Gravestock has asked that all organizations desiring benefits from the funds raised this year submit their budgets at the meeting. The directors will consider all budgets submitted and establish a quota of funds that will be needed for the coming year in maintaining organizations dependent upon contributions to carry out their programs.

BLISTERING HEAT RECORDED HERE

With the temperature soaring into the 90's over the week-end and Labor Day holiday residents of Washington Township scampered for beaches and mountain retreats for a relief from the heat.

The thermometer failed to reach the blistering 95 degrees recorded here on Labor Day of 1932, but reached the 92 level Sunday and Monday. San Jose reported 95 degrees and Oakland 93 on Labor Day.

Fire departments of the area doubled their vigilance over the three-day period fearing trouble from picnickers and hunters but no fires were reported.

RECEIVE BIDS FOR NILES SANITARY DISTRICT ANNEX

Bids for the construction of a sewer system through the district west of Niles recently annexed to the local system were opened at a meeting of the commissioners held Wednesday evening.

A spokesman for the group revealed yesterday that but four bids were received and each of these were considerably higher in cost to the district than had been anticipated. A bond issue of $90,000 was recently sold to raise the money for the project. The area to be served by the new system is bounded by Gregory avenue and the Western Pacific Railroad tracks.

Commissioners present at Wednesday evening's meeting included: President J. J. Alberg, Secretary E. E. Dias, and Tom Elliot, H. L. Scott and George Burr. Also present were Leon Clark, attorney for the district, and Roy Ramseier, engineer.

Clark and Ramseier will audit the bids and submit them to the Alameda County district attorney's office for computation and checking.

Another meeting of the commissioners has been called for Monday evening at which time the contract will be awarded.

INFANT DIES FROM POISON FORMULA

A mother's mistake in mixing a milk formula for her 10-day-old son was blamed for the death of the infant at a coroner's inquest held at the Berge Mortuary Company Parlor in Niles yesterday.

The mother, Mrs. Shozo Ogawa, 228 San Ramon road, Hayward, related that last Saturday she had asked her mother to mix a boric acid solution to put in the baby's eyes. That evening when she mixed the formula she took the can from the usual place on the kitchen shelf thinking she had the can of dextrose malt. She reported that the baby was ill Sunday evening and Monday its kidneys failed to function. It was then that she noticed the mistake in identity of the cans and the baby was rushed to the hospital where it succumbed.

The couple have one other child.

NEWARK CHAMBER PLANS BARBECUE

The next regular meeting of the Newark Chamber of Commerce will be in the form of a barbecue, according to John Kellerman, chairman of the entertainment committee.

Kellerman stated this week that arrangements are being completed for the affair to be held September 17 at the Newark Pavilion and added that the ladies of the chamber members will be special guests.

Serving on the committee with Kellerman in working out the arrangements are James Robertson and J. I. MacGregor. Time of the affair has been set for 6:30 p.m. and the committee is arranging an entertainment program for the evening.

BIG FREE OFFER

Don't fail to turn to page 2 of this issue to see the big special announcement of a free dividend for our subscribers. You won't be able to pass up this offer. It's good only next week, so act now!

TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS TO OPEN SEPT. 10; NEW CLASSES ADDED

The summer vacation for all students of Washington Township draws to a close this week with the opening of Washington Union High School and nine elementary schools on Wednesday, September 10.

With the opening of the 1947-48 school year many youngsters who would ordinarily have to wait another year to start their education will be enrolled in the six new kindergartens which are opening for the first time here. Schools that will have kindergarten this year are Niles, Centerville, Irvington, Decoto, Newark and Alvarado.

SET AGE LIMIT

To be eligible to attend kindergarten each child must be four years, six months of age or older as of September 1, 1947, and to enter first grade must be five years, six months of age as of the same date.

Principals of all of the schools, with the exception of Warm Springs, have revealed that they anticipate a 20 per cent increase in enrollment this fall over the number of students last year.

Teaching positions in all of the schools have been filled and the members of the school staffs attended a three-day institute in Hayward this week in preparation for the year's work.

The majority of the schools have voted bond issues during the summer months for the improvement of the school buildings and facilities.

IMPROVEMENTS LISTED

Niles recently voted $77,000 for improvements to be made. Decoto is now erecting a $70,000 school annex to house classrooms. Alvarado only last month voted an increase in school taxation to cover the expense of erection of three classrooms and a cafeteria, now under construction. Centerville will erect a new kindergarten room, garage, and add extra playground space and equipment. Newark has voted $151,000 for the erection of a complete new school building. Alviso has added a new cafeteria. Mission San Jose has voted a tax increase to cover the increase in administrative expense. Washington Union High School has had lighting installed for night football.

The tentative school calendar for the school year is as follows:

September 10, instruction begins.

November 11, Armistice Day (local school holiday).

November 26 to 28, Thanksgiving vacation.

December 22-January 2, Christmas vacation.

January 5, 1948, School begins after holidays.

February 12-13, Lincoln's birthday.

March 22-26, Easter vacation.

June 18, School closes.

NEGRO HELD FOR CHECK RAISING

James Lee Carboyer, Negro laborer, appeared before Judge E. A.Quaresma in Niles Justice Court Wednesday on a charge of raising the amount of a check. He was ordered to reappear in court on September 12 at 2 p.m. to enter his plea to the charge.

Carboyer is alleged to have raised the amount of a check from $9.02 to $90.02.

STORES TO OBSERVE ADMISSION DAY

The majority of the business houses in Washington Township will be closed all day Tuesday in observance of Admission Day, a state holiday.

Niles merchants have united in closing that day but in other communities it has been left up to each individual store whether to close or remain open.

NILES DAIRY SOLD

Joe M. Castro of Niles announced this week that he had purchased the Sanitary Dairy in Niles, formerly owned by Manuel Ramos. Ramos owns the Santa Clara Creamery.

Castro, who has been working at the Sanitary Dairy for over five years, is a lifelong resident of the township. He expects to continue in business along the same lines as his predecessor.

LAST RITES FOR MRS. CHADBOURNE

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Chadbourne, Centerville, were held at St. James Episcopal Church, Centerville, at 2 p.m. Tuesday.

Mrs. Chadbourne, wife of H. F. Chadbourne, former San Francisco Superior Court Judge, died at her home on the Centerville-Irvington highway last Friday. She was a native of San Francisco but had been a resident of this area for many years.

She was a member of St. James Guild and past president of the Country Club of Washington Township.

She was the wife of Howard F. Chadbourne; mother of Estelle W. Agosti, San Francisco, and H. B. Chadbourne, Brawley; grandmother of Mrs. Carol Smyth, San Francisco, and Nancy Estelle Chadbourne, San Leandro; great-grandmother of Sidney, Peter and Susan Smyth, San Francisco; sister of Mrs. Lizzie Hobart, Oakland, and Mrs. Mary Armstrong, Piedmont.

Interment was in the family plot at Mountain View Cemetery, Oakland, under the direction of the Pratt-Flierl Mortuary, Hayward.

UNDERSTANDING OF WORLD IS TOPIC

Rotary, on a small scale, is a perfect example of how world understanding can be achieved, according to District Governor Carl Ekoos, who spoke yesterday noon at the weekly meeting of the Niles Rotary Club.

The district governor, who recently attended a conference of Rotary district governors from all over the world at Sun Valley, Idaho, mentioned the remarkable spirit of understanding that developed there during the evenings of friendly discussion.

To emphasize the differences in history, geography, culture, and outlook in various parts of the world, District Governor Ekoos presented characterizations of various races by using masks and speaking first for the United States, then for the English—which he characterized as "a tired people"—then for the Hindus and for the chinese.

There are no Rotary Clubs in Russia, he said.

Yesterday evening, Mr. Ekoos presided at a club assembly at the International Kitchen.

K. OF C. FLOAT WINS $200 PRIZE

Receiving congratulations from all over the township is the local council of Knights of Columbus.

It was announced this week that their float, which won second place in the Mission Sesqui parade and a prize of $20, has just won first place in the Golden Jubilee at Richmond and a prize of $200!

The float, which featured a replica of the Mission, built to scale, brought plaudits from all those who saw it at the Richmond celebration.

Inasmuch as it was simply a loan to the Richmond Council, and entered in the parade by the Richmond Council, it is they who get the prize. The local council, however, is receiving all the glory, and those who have seen the model Mission agree that they deserve it.

The local council has already agreed to lend the same float to the Pittsburg Council for their coming celebrations.

OPENS NEW SHOP IN CENTERVILLE

Another new business house for Centerville is the Doughnut Nook which is being opened at 123½ South Main street by Phil Willis.

The shop has been attractively furnished with all new equipment and fixtures and will feature home-made doughnuts, fountain service and sandwiches. Joy Secada will manage the fountain and Willis will make the doughnuts and sandwiches.

Willis, who was a driver for the Peerless Stages for years, served as a baker with the U. S. Navy for five and one-half years and was in the South Pacific aboard the aircraft carrier Saratoga in the early part of the war.

STATE WINS CASE AGAINST HANSEN TRACT DEVELOPERS

A decision of guilty was returned by Judge Manley J. Clark, Livermore, in Centerville Justice Court last Friday against C. G. Shuman and L. M. Lewis, developers of the Hansen Tract in Centerville.

Judge Clark ruled that both Shuman and Lewis had violated Section 7028 of the Business and Professional Code which reads: "It is unlawful for any person to engage in the business or act in the capacity of a contractor within this state without having a license therefor."

LIGHT FINE

Faced with a maximum penalty of $500 and six months in jail, or both, on each of the four counts against them, the two men were fined $50 on each count for a total of $200 each. Paul Morse, who represented the two men in court Friday, indicated that an appeal would be filed.

Testimony in the case was heard by Judge Clark on July 31 and he at that time requested Deputy District Attorney Frank Crews and Defense Attorney Stanley Smallwood to prepare and submit written briefs of the case and set the date for decision for August 29.

PROTEST MADE

Some of the veteran home-owners residing in the tract were stunned by the comparatively light fines imposed against the defendants and registered protest at the conclusion of the court session. They pointed out that Dan Bodily, who was hired by the two defendants to erect the houses, on his plea of guilty to a similar charge had been fined $250 on but one count while Shuman and Lewis were fined but a total of $200 on four counts.

BURGLARY CASE IS SET FOR SEPT. 19

Lawrence E. McClellan, 25, and Elmer J. Maria, 28, both of Niles, charged with burglarizing the Joy Cafe in Niles, were ordered to appear for plea on September 19 at 3 p.m. when they appeared before Judge E. A. Quaresma in Niles Justice Court Wednesday.

Joseph Schenone, attorney for the defendants, requested the continuance of the case for two weeks to allow him sufficient time to familiarize himself with the details. The two men are free on bail of $500 each.

They are charged with entering the Joy Cafe early in the morning hours of August 9 and taking $50 in cash and a quantity of brandy and beer.

Roscoe S. Webb, 44, also of Niles, is alleged to be the third member of the trio and a warrant has been issued for his arrest to face the charge and for the violation of parole from Folsom Prison. Police have been unable to locate Webb.

NEWS from Walt & Ed

HOUSEHOLD HINT

Mothers, are you having trouble getting your boys to put away their baseball mitts, football helmets, gloves, belts, etc? Then put a swimming towel rack on the back of the closet door. It's a wonderful device for hanging such things.

Have you been in our stores lately? We're getting in new shipments all the time of interesting household items.

Niles Furniture Company
NILES:
748 Main St., Phone 4453
Walt & Ed's, Newark
Decoto Furniture, Decoto
OPEN TILL 7 P.M.

MISSION SAN JOSE

By LOIS BOTTENBERG

NEVADA TRIP

Mrs. Grace Meyers and her nephew, Ralph Scown and wife and baby, accompanied Mr. Ed Scown of Los Angeles last week-end on a trip to Camp Connell, Lake Alpine, Virginia City, Carson City and Reno, Nevada, returning by way of Placerville. Mr. Scown who has been on vacation for several weeks, left Monday for the southland.

DIES IN IRELAND

Mrs. Hannah Rose received a sad telegram from Ireland this past week. Her eldest brother, Joseph Megaw of Armagh, Ireland, had passed away a few days before. He leaves his wife, Lily, a brother, Harry at Petaluma, and Mrs. Hannah Rose of the Mission.

BREAKS HIP

Mrs. Maude Dutra, mother of Mrs. Dorothy Mendonca, with whom she makes her home, fell last Friday in the house and sustained a broken hip. She was taken to the Highland Hospital where she underwent an operation to pin the hip bone in place. She will be confined at the hospital from three to six months. All her friends wish her as speedy a recovery as possible for she has really had her share of confinement in the past year.

TO BE JUDGE

Dale Carithers, foreman of the Mission Hereford Ranch owned by Mrs. Margaret Bunting, will be a judge in Portland, Oregon, at the International Livestock Exposition. He will judge purebred Herefords at which he is an expert. Their ranch has taken many prizes at many livestock shows with their fine line of Herefords. Carithers has served as president of the livestock association. This is the first exposition held in Portland since the beginning of the war and promises to be a brilliant spectacle.

RETURNS HOME

"Wheezer" Fernandez, who has been in San Pedro at the home of Dick Venturin and his parents for the past two weeks, returned to his home today accompanied by Mrs. Venturin and Dick, who will attend U.C. and make his home with his grandmother in Berkeley. They drove through and enjoyed it very much.

WASHINGTON VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson and family of Tacoma, Washington, arrived this Labor Day week-end to see the Thor Olsens. Mr. Johnson is a postal employee there and has been in the department for 25 years. He is a brother of Mrs. Olsen.

ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown left on a vacation to Tacoma, Washington, where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. James Rice, her husband and daughter, Kathy. Mrs. Rice is the former Marie Brown of Durham Road. The Browns are traveling by bus.

TO SACRAMENTO

Mr. and Mrs. Harley B. Justus left Friday for Sacramento where they spent the three-day holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harley L. Justus and attended the State Fair. They spent Friday night in the home of Colleen's folks in Niles, the William Jibsons. Their home is in Oakland now.

VISIT FRIENDS HERE

Mrs. Mary Brazil and daughter, Eleanor, spent several days here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davis and family. They are from San Luis Obispo, former home of the Davises.

ON VACATION

Iras and Marvin Lofton, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Lofton, went by train to San Luis Obispo to visit friends. They returned on the famous "daylight" streamliner. Their daddy works for the line.

ENTERTAIN TEAM

Frank and Faye Castro entertained the winning baseball team at a linguesa feed at their home on Saturday evening.

SURPRISE PARTY

A delightful surprise birthday party was given Mrs. Theresa Arney, housekeeper for Father Leal, at the home of Miss Abbie Sunderer on Saturday evening. Mrs. Roscoe Whitesides acted as co-hostess and Mr. Whitesides and Mrs. Teddy Pereira were also present. A huge blue bandana hanky was presented Tess, just in case. Get it?

VACATIONING

Miss Ann Untiedt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Untiedt, is vacationing at Pinnacles National Monument with her friend, Pat, of Palo Alto.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd H. Cross and family of Redwood City were Sunday evening dinner guests at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cross of Durham road.

ENTERTAIN GUESTS

Sunday guests at the Ernest Frei home were Mr. and Mrs. T. Eigenherr of Hayward. At the home of Miss Abbie Sunderer, Mrs. Grace Sweeney of Oakland, a former teacher here in the Mission, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Whitesides and Miss Grace Ensign entertained her brother, Faye Ensign and his wife from Los Angeles.

RETURN TO MISSION

Mrs. Florence Tabor and her grandson, David Koelsch, have returned to the Mission following the summer spent in the east with relatives. David will start to school this next week.

ENJOY MOP PARTY

A mop party was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Richard Neeley on Ellsworth street. Games preceded the demonstrations by Mrs. Boles, the representative, and prizes went to Mrs. Rosalyn Davis, Mrs. H. Hightower and Mrs. Janie Lofton. The highlight of the evening was a millinery fashion show. All the ladies designed vegetable hats and the first prize went to Janie Lofton who wore a large cabbage leaf sombrero trimmed in circles of turnips, carrots and beets and a plume of an ear of corn and a green bell pepper. Those present were: Mrs. Ariel Thompson, Mrs. Beatrice Hightower, Rosalyn Davis, Miss Elaine Neeley, Janie Lofton, Mrs. Goldie Stead, the hostess who served light refreshments, and the representative, Mrs. Boles.

GIVES DEMONSTRATION AT TEACHERS MEETING

Miss Mary Virginia Bristow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Dixon Bristow, Niles, and fifth grade teacher in the Irvington Elementary School, conducted a demonstration at the Teachers' Institute in Hayward Tuesday.

Miss Bristow pointed out the advantages of education through group action showing how pupils could better retain lessons in history through actively engaging in some of the practices of pioneer life such as candlemaking, sewing and singing the early folk songs.

DECOTO NEWS

By ETHEL AVILLA

HOLD BARBECUE

To celebrate his shooting of an 80-pound deer near St. Helena, John Rose Jr. of Concord treated his family and friends to a barbecue at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mederos. Sunday, August 31. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Rose and children, George and Frank Milina of Concord, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Enos of San Leandro, Mr. and Mrs. Isador Souza of Berkeley and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mederos and son, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel White, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gomes, Mr. and Mrs. John Enos and daughters, Betty and Barbara, of Decoto.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Manuel Monte, who was seriously injured in a motorcycle accident the latter part of April and has since been in the hospital, returned to his home last Saturday. He is recuperating nicely but his leg remains in a cast which probably won't be removed for some weeks yet.

ATTEND FAIR

Quite a number of Decotoites braved the heat and crowds last week-end to visit the State Fair. Mrs. Harry Searles, Miss Kate Grasslin and their friends made up one party. Mr. and Mrs. "Dutch" Re, Frank Pimentel and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Souza of San Leandro were another group. Mr. and Mrs. Al Rodrigues went with friends, and attending the fair to look over farm machinery were Ernie Vargas and Eddie Bush.

GOOD FISHING

Reports are coming in now of larger fish being caught. The following men are a few who had success last week: Tony Amaral caught a 27-pound salmon off the Golden Gate and his partner, Don Martin, got one weighing 13 pounds. Don went fishing again later in the week with his brother, Henry, and Seg and Ray Diaz. They fished at Crockett and brought home a number of nice bass ranging from 6 to 8 pounds each. Don Hitchen caught a 13-pound bass in Napa Bay Monday. George Silva, John Enos, Ray Soares and Mickey Rose, San Jose, fished at Crockett, catching only 2 bass. George surf fished at Half Moon Bay Monday and caught a 3 or 4-pound flounder.

ENTERTAIN GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kern and son, Dale, of Los Angeles were Mrs. Harold Wallace. The Wal- week-end house guests of Mr. and laces entertained their friends with a sea food dinner at Fishermen's Wharf in San Francisco Sunday night.

SEE BOAT RACES

Mr. and Mrs. Don Martin and children spent Sunday watching Beautiful "Miss Oakland" pre- the boat races at Lake Merritt. sented a trophy to the winners.

DAY AT BEACH

The weather was delightfully cool at Half Moon Bay Monday. Mr. and Mrs. John Enos and daughters, Ida Frances, George Silva, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Soares and Mr. and Mrs. Lenny Robinson of Hayward enjoyed a weenie roast on the beach.

TO YOSEMITE

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Perez and Miss Ramona Galarsa spent the week-end and Labor Day at Yosemite Valley.

RECUPERATING

Alvin Silva is home and feeling spry again after having a minor operation performed last Friday.

VISITING HERE

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Rodrigues is Mrs. Floyd Paulsen of International Falls, Minn. While here she will attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Eva Lucachicki in San Francisco.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Birthday congratulations were in order for Jack Navarho Saturday, August 30, who celebrated his seventh birthday. Mrs. Hope Ventura was hostess to his party. Sandwiches, a large cake and punch were served as refreshments. Party guests were: Anita Elizarry, Bessie Gonzales, Adolph Cisneros, Lydia Castro, Billy Grandstaff, Rex Rowlett, Antoinette Gutierrez, Roselyn Costa, Bridget Lorenzi and Tony Torres.

IN CENTERVILLE

With DIANE FERRARIS

VISIT HOLLYWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Joseph and daughter, Elaine, spent a very enjoyable week in Los Angeles where they saw many of the interesting things. Some of the many interesting sights were the RKO Studio, David Selznik, Hal Roach, M.G.M. Studio, Republic Studio, 20th Century Fox, and spent three hours touring through Warner Bros. Studio where they saw many stage sets, and visited the Grauman's Chinese Theater where many of the great movie stars have imprints of themselves on the sidewalk. They traveled through Beverly Hills and Bel-Air where they saw many beautiful homes owned by movie stars. Among other places of interest they saw U.C.L.A. and Loyola University. Elaine was a very lucky girl as she got autographs from Frances Langford and Jon Hall, and Jon Hall actually had a little conversation with her (lucky, lucky Elaine). Elaine has many snapshots of all the wonderful places they visited.

TO STATE FAIR

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dutra and Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Silva and daughter, Geraldine, spent their Labor Day week-end at the State Fair in Sacramento.

ATTEND RACES

Rudy Alonzo and Ciro Orlando spent Labor Day at the stock car races at the Oakland Stadium.

HOME FROM CANADA

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stephens of Centerville have returned from a wonderful two weeks' vacation in Canada.

WEEK-END GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Furtado visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis in their summer home in Santa Cruz over the week-end.

MONTEREY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Coit and son, Dennis, from Monterey visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Coit and sister, Marjorie, over the week-end.

SEE BOAT RACES

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Marshall spent last Sunday at Lake Merritt enjoying the boat races.

WEEK-END IN SANTA CRUZ

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Francis and family enjoyed the Labor Day week-end in Santa Cruz.

NEW POSITION

Miss Juanita Alonzo is now employed by the Graham Manufacturing Company in Newark. She has received a position working in the office.

BRIDAL SHOWER

A bridal shower was given in honor of Mrs. Gloria Vargas by Mrs. Edith Pine at her home in Newark. The guests were Mrs. Rose Furtado, Mrs. Rita Perry, Mrs. Mary Ann Silva, Mrs. Martha Marshall, Mrs. Lorraine Cortez and Miss Florence Bettencourt. Refreshments were served and Mrs. Vargas received many lovely gifts.

HOLIDAY AT BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark were among the many who spent the Labor Day week-end in Santa Cruz.

SEARS & HOUSTON STORE REMODELS INTERIOR

The interior of the Sears and Houston store in Newark is taking on a new appearance this week with the installation of all new display tables and shelves throughout the large business house.

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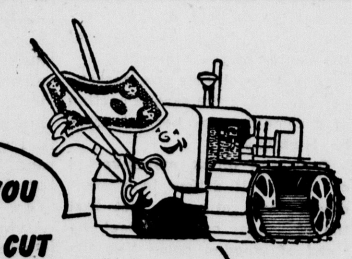

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Sportsmen's News

"KEEP CALIFORNIA GREEN AND GOLDEN"

With the hunting season in full swing it becomes more and more evident that an all out campaign by organized sportsmen must be waged if "No Hunting, No Trespassing" signs are to come down from farmers' properties.

Such was the statement this week by President Gus Gustafson of the Associated Sportsmen of California.

"If we are not to retrogress to the feudal hunting privileges of European countries, the true sportsmen exemplified by those of the 112 affiliated clubs of the association, plus many others of non-affiliation—must work to solve the problems, the main one of which is depredations to farmers' crops and properties by vandals with hunting licenses," Gustafson said.

The Association's Farmer-Sportsmen Relations Committee under Chairman George Coolures of Stockton has done some excellent preliminary work in the San Joaquin Valley areas, Gustafson pointed out. But a tremendous job lies ahead.

Gustafson declared that some of the best hunting areas in Northern California are literally plastered with no-hunting, no-trespassing signs this year, to an even greater extent than past years. "But there has also been a tremendous influx of newcomers to the sports of hunting and fishing, many from other states, who have yet to learn the rules of conduct for sportsmen," he added.

If the clubs fighting for conservation and the sportsmen's heritage are unable to educate the mass of hunters and anglers in time, farmers will have suffered so severely that the work of the Association will have been set back too far to be overcome in a generation, perhaps never, the sportsmen's leader emphasized.

The only hope of organized sportsmen at this time, he believes, is to make every club a general committee to contact farmers individually and in groups to work out a cooperative system in which each party stands to gain.

He indicated some tentative plans for such a system have already been offered by collaborating farmer-sportsman groups. Most contain a method of patrol by sportsmen's clubs over properties with permits being issued to hunters screened by the clubs.

This system would require no payment of special fees to the farmers but would protect them from vandalism at no cost. Other proposals would require "parking fees," thus setting up semi-game management areas.

The latter system is opposed by many sportsmen leaders on the grounds that it tends to special privilege and discrimination.

Gustafson said there was an opportunity for Southern California's organized sportsmen to initiate an experimental plan on Catalina Island.

"An original planting of five pairs of mule deer was made on the island between 1928 and 1930," he said. "This herd now has increased to approximately 2500 deer, competing with a herd of some 4000 cattle owned by the island company. The deer lately have begun eating even garden and flowering shrubs on residential property.

"A strong move by organized sportsmen down south might result in an unparalleled opportunity to prove club controlled hunters along with management by the State Division of Fish and Game would solve one of the major problems confronting farmers and sportsmen today."

Gustafson knew of no particular section in the northern end of the state presenting a similar opportunity.

LUNCHEON RESERVATIONS ARE POURING IN

Reservations are pouring in for the fall luncheon of the Country Club of Washington Township, to be held this year at the International Kitchen, on Tuesday, September 16.

Avis Landis of San Leandro, prominent bay area dancer who performed in the Mission Sesquicentennial pageant, will be the entertainer for the afternoon. Miss Landis has recently returned from Mexico where she took a summer course at the University of Mexico. Her program at the luncheon will feature Spanish dances.

The program is being arranged by Mrs. F. A. Muller, Mrs. L. C. Marriott, and Mrs. Ted Logan. Reservations for the luncheon are being handled by Miss Nancy McKeown.

Geology is the science which deals with the history of the earth.

IRVINGTON TEAM DOWNS OPPONENTS

The Irvington baseball team scored early and held defensively to beat the Cincinnati Rookies of San Francisco by a score of 7 to 2 in a game played on the Irvington diamond Sunday.

The Irvington nine, playing under the management of Frank Mayer, won their second game in as many starts by slamming in five runs in the third inning. The two other scores came in the second and sixth frames.

Lopez, who hurled the entire game for the locals, held the visitors to five scattered hits, allowing them but two runs, one in the first and one in the ninth inning.

The Mayermen will be pitted against the Mulkenbuhr Brothers team of San Francisco, 1947 AA champions of the Golden Gate city, Sunday, in a game called for 2 p.m. at the Irvington field. This will be the final encounter for the locals before they start the Southern Alameda County Winter League season.

The box score of Sunday's game:

IRVINGTON	AB	R	H
W. Pine, cf	2	0	0
H. Faria, lf	4	0	1
E. Rose, 2b	4	0	0
G. Smith, 3b	4	1	1
R. Chapman, ss	4	0	0
S. Roderick, 1b	2	2	0
L. Davis, rf	3	2	1
A. Rivers, c	3	1	0
A. Lopez, p	3	1	3
Totals	29	7	6

CINCINNATI ROOKIES	AB	R	H
J. Robbs, lf	4	0	1
Bankhead, cf, p	4	0	0
Andrews, 1b	3	1	1
Mulcaky, c	4	0	1
C. Smith, 3b	3	0	0
Hutchenson, ss	3	1	0
Ortner, 2b, p, cf	4	0	1
Yerkes, rf	4	0	0
Morgan, p	0	0	0
Robb, 2b	3	0	1
Totals	32	2	5

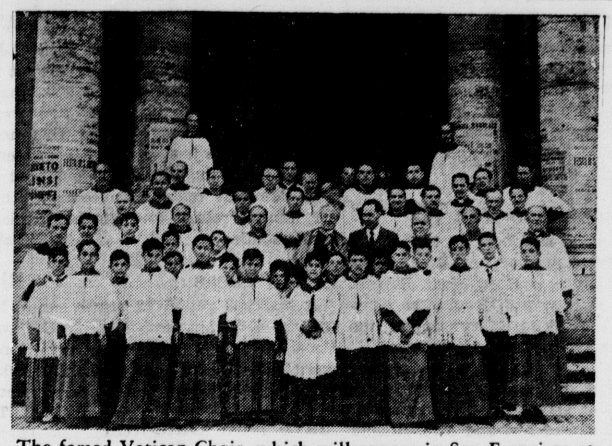
FIRST FALL MEET FOR NEWARK CLUB

The Newark Women's Improvement Club will hold its first fall meeting next Tuesday, September 9, at the home of Mrs. Jack Hamson on George and Mulberry streets.

The business meeting will be followed by a social hour.

Officers of the club are: president, Mrs. Ruby Rogers; vice-president, Mrs. Ann Gunn; secretary, Mrs. Charlotte May; and treasurer, Mrs. Ruby Alberts.

The women have many interesting and important civic matters to outline for the ensuing year.



The famed Vatican Choir, which will appear in San Francisco at Exposition Auditorium, September 23-24, is shown prior to leaving Rome on the good-will tour that will take the singers to the major cities of the world. The choir, under the direction of Msgr. Licinio Refice, is making the tour at the behest of Pope Pius XII in the interests of international good will and amity.

OUTLINE VETERAN LOAN PROCEDURE

The Veterans Administration in California has guaranteed 98,086 loans for veterans valued at $738,039,000, more than any other state in the nation.

The majority of the loans, 90,390, have been granted for the purchase or building of veterans homes. Business loans total 6,899 and farm loans 797.

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Because of the large number of home loans guaranteed in California VA recently conducted a survey to determine the 10 questions most frequently asked by World War II veterans about G.I. home loans.

The questions and answers follow:

Q. Where should a veteran go to get a G.I. loan?

A. He must first find a bank or savings and loan association or other private lenders willing to make the loan.

Q. Where does the Veterans Administration come in?

A. VA guarantees up to $4,000, but no more than half the loan, made by the private lender to the veteran. This guaranty helps protect the lender from loss. VA does NOT lend money to the veteran.

Q. How much can the veteran borrow?

A. As much as the lender is willing to lend, but the maximum VA guarantee will be $4,000.

Q. What are some of the advantages of a G.I. loan to the veteran?

A. (1) Because of the VA guaranty, the lender is more willing to make a loan; (2) the VA guaranty encourages the lender to make the loan without requiring a down payment, and (3) the interest rate (4 per cent maximum) is low.

PAYMENT EXPLAINED

Q. Does the veteran also get a guaranty payment of some kind?

A. Yes, VA pays to the lender, for credit to the veteran's loan, an amount equal to 4 per cent of the guaranteed portion of the loan. For example, if the guaranteed portion is $3,000, the lender will receive $120 from VA to credit to the debt of the veteran.

Q. Must the veteran have cash to make a down payment?

A. No, but if a down payment is required by the lender, it will not prevent the veteran from obtaining a guaranteed loan.

Q. Who pays the appraiser's fee?

A. The veteran. This fee usually is about $15 or $20.

Q. Can a veteran join with a non-veteran to buy a two-family home?

A. Yes, provided the veteran's interest is properly protected to prevent any loss to him in the event the non-veteran defaults.

TWO LOANS POSSIBLE

Q. How about a loan where the FHA insures the first mortgage for say 80 per cent of the price of the house and the veteran wishes to borrow additional money to cover the balance?

A. VA can guaranty a secondary loan for the balance, provided the secondary loan does not exceed 20 percent of the purchase price.

Q. Can a veteran repay all or part of his loan at any time during the life of the loan?

A. Yes, and without paying any fee or premium.

Insects kill six times as much merchantable timber in California annually as is destroyed by fire.

Niles Couple Celebrate 18th Anniversary

In celebration of their 18th wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis of Niles visited several spots in California they had not seen for many years over Labor Day week-end. With headquarters at Boulder Creek they toured the Monterey peninsula, including Monterey and Salinas; then took in the sights at Santa Cruz and Big Basin.

As a sort of "bon voyage" party for them, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Silva were hosts at a dinner preceding their departure. The guests were Jacqueline, Robert and Reginald Lewis and Mrs. M. Alameda.

The anniversary celebrants were presented with a beautifully decorated cake by their daughter, Jacqueline.

Married in Civil Ceremony

Married in a civil ceremony in the offices of Judge E. A. Quaresma in Niles last Saturday were Mary Anna Imfeld and Martin Andermath, both of Centerville.

Standing up with the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Reichmuth.

The newlyweds are both natives of Switzerland.

Week-End at Beach

Mr. and Mrs. John Freitas and John Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. John Kettman and children, Jack and Jill, all of Newark, enjoyed a three-day outing at Watsonville's Palm Beach over the week-end holiday. They were joined Monday by Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McNieve and daughter, Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Lacy and David, and Mr. and Mrs. David Freitas, all of Newark. The group helped Mrs. David Freitas celebrate her birthday Monday with a beautiful cake brought for the occasion. The clam season opened September 1 and the menfolks of the party succeeded in bagging their limits.

Guests from Washington

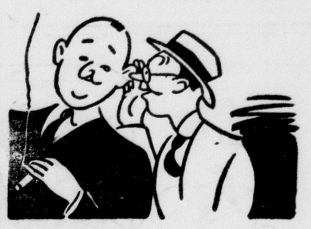
Guests at the home of Colonel and Mrs. Eugene F. Manning of Centerville this week were Mrs. James L. Green and her two children of Washington, D. C. A long-time friend of the Mannings, Mrs. Green is en route to Okinawa to join her husband, Colonel Green. She sails today from San Francisco.

A Sad Arrival

Mrs. Della Crane of Vallejo street, Niles, motored to her ranch in Copperopolis to spend the holiday week-end, only to find upon her arrival that her aunt, Mrs. Botcher, had just passed away. Mrs. Botcher had made many friends in Niles, as she visited Mrs. Crane here at one time. She was 82 at the time of her death. Born in Copperopolis, she had lived most of her life there.

Enjoy Motoring Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Bland of Newark and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Taylor of Niles enjoyed a pleasant three-day motoring trip over the week-end. They left early Saturday for Clear Lake where they spent that night. Sunday they motored to Marysville where they visited Mrs. Bland's sister, Mrs. Angie Dillard. Monday they drove to Sacramento, attended the State Fair, and returned home that night.



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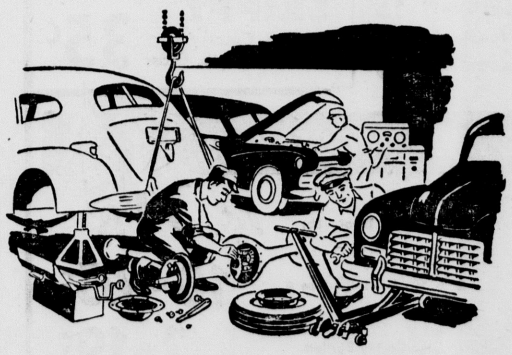

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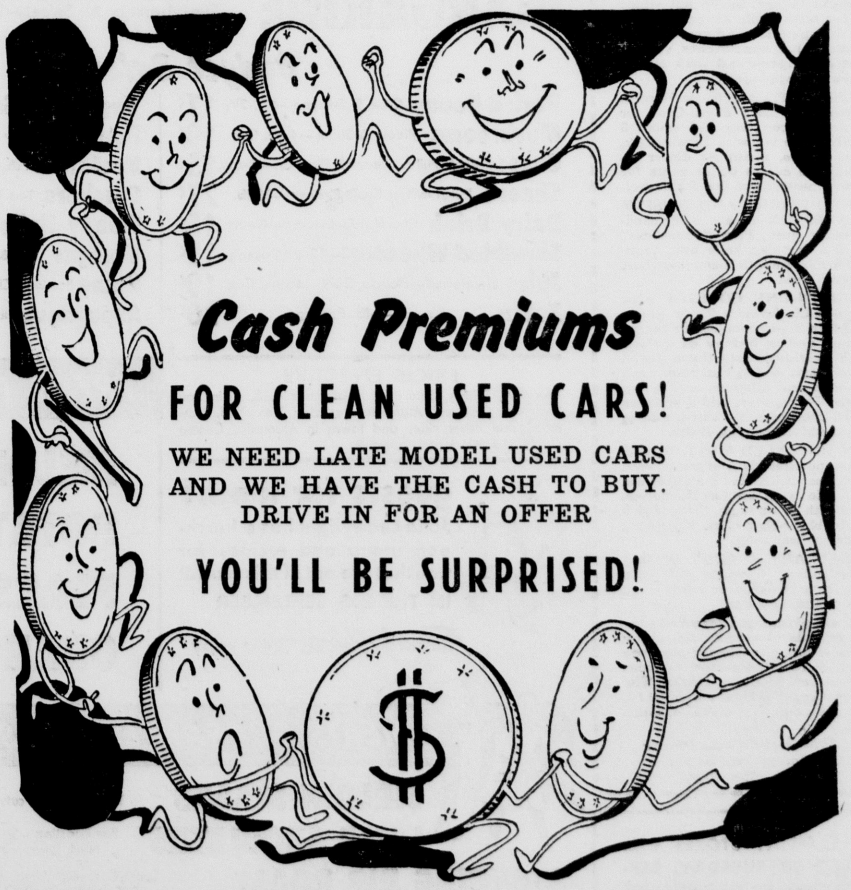
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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roderick of Niles will act as godparents for little Judy Ann Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Smith of San Jose. The little girl will be baptized Sunday.

In Martinez

Mrs. Howard Buschke of Newark has returned home after visiting relatives in Martinez. She was there for a week.

Week-End Guests

Among the Labor Day week-end guests of Dr. and Mrs. George Holeman at their mountain home were Mr. and Mrs. R. Cozzi of Niles.

To State Fair

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Dias and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Solon, all of Niles, were among the townspeople attending the State Fair in Sacramento Sunday.

TWENTY YEARS AGO...

(From the 1927 Files of The Township Register)

George Machado of Decoto drove the winning horse in the $1,000 race for three-year-olds at the Stockton Fair.

The Alvarado Aerie of Eagles celebrated the 20th anniversary of the founding of the local organization with a big dance held at Parish Hall.

The new oil treatment for the Niles-Sunol Road through Niles Canyon was completed and motorists are enjoying the "dustless" drive through the canyon.

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New Decoto Resident

A new resident in Decoto these days is Linda Joyce Rebiejo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Debiejo, 707 Fourth Street. The little lassie was born in Hayward Hospital August 15 and weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces.

Daughter to Rangels

A new member of the E. B. Rangel household at Rt. 1, Box 28B, Niles, is Rose Mary Rangel, born at Hayward Hospital on August 17. Rose Mary tipped the scales at 8 pounds, 1¼ ounces.

Labor Day Visitors

Labor Day week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bendel were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lombardi of San Francisco, Ensign Roland Bendel, and Miss Arlene Allsopp.

Take Motoring Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Heini Marshall, Blanche Freitas and Lee Riddle, all of Niles, enjoyed a three-day motoring trip over the week-end. They drove to Redding, across to Eureka and returned home via the seaside route Monday evening.

Mrs. Rathbone Here

Mrs. Leona Solon Rathbone with her baby will be visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Solon, for the next two weeks. She and her husband, Dr. Rathbone, have just returned from a week in the mountains, but business demands make it necessary for him to return to their home in the south.

Son to Vacas

A husky 8 pound 12 ounce son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vaca, Rt. 1, Box 9, Niles, at Hayward Hospital on August 20. The lad has been named Jesse Joe.

Have New Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Ferriera, RFD Box 459, Niles, are the proud parents of a new daughter born August 20 at Hayward Hospital. The little 5 pound 8½ ounce miss has been named Kathryn Ann.

Visit in Fresno

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Walter George, all of Irvington, returned home Sunday evening from a week-end spent at Fresno.

Week-End in Newark

James Laudenslager, a student at the American School of Watchmaking in Los Angeles, spent the week-end in Newark visiting his mother, Mrs. Bertha Laudenslager. James has one more year at the school, graduating next August, and then hopes to open his own shop here in Washington Township.

Blue Bird Club

Mrs. Mildred Blacow and Mrs. Frances Turnbow, both of Irvington, were co-hostesses to the Newark Blue Bird Club at the Turnbow home Tuesday evening.

The meeting Tuesday was the first held since the club discontinued its meetings early in the summer.

At the Fair

It seems that most of Washington Township was at the State Fair. Among those seen there were Mr. and Mrs. "Stiny" Stinhilver, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McElvain, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lewis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lewis Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lewis Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Costa, etc., etc., etc.

Surprise Party for Walter Zbyzenski

A surprise birthday party for Mr. Walter Zbyzenski of Irvington was given last Sunday evening by his wife at their Irvington home. Guests at the dinner party included Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rebello and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Garcia and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garcia, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Gacia Jr., Mrs. Mary Harvey, Clarence Harvey, and Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Silva and son, Manuel.

Following the dinner the guests enjoyed an evening of cards.

Yvonne Young Flies to Oregon

Miss Yvonne Young and her grandmother, Mrs. Ida E. Young of San Francisco, left Thursday via United Airlines for a two weeks vacation in eastern Oregon, where they have many relatives and friends. They expect to attend the Pendleton Roundup before returning.

On the return trip they will stop off at Medford to visit more relatives.

Maras Visit Former Decotans

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mara of Niles, accompanied by their two daughters, motored up to the northern part of the state to spend the Labor Day week-end at the homes of former Decoto residents. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown at Fair Oaks, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker at Lincoln. They also took in the State Fair while they were up that way.

Bruce Roeding to Go To Davis

Bruce Roeding, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Roeding Jr., will enter the University of California at Davis this fall. His brothers, Jerry and Sandy, will complete their secondary education at Menlo School, while their little sister, Diane, will continue with her studies at the Niles school.

Home from Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brownstein of Niles have returned home after three enjoyable weeks spent touring the northwest. They visited Lake Tahoe, Salt Lake City, Glacier National Park, Vancouver and Victoria.

Home Again

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Alberts and son Albert have returned home to Newark after viisting in Modesto and Pacific Grove.

New Possession

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Lacy of Newark received a new Ford last week in time to give it an enjoyable breaking in over the week-end holiday.

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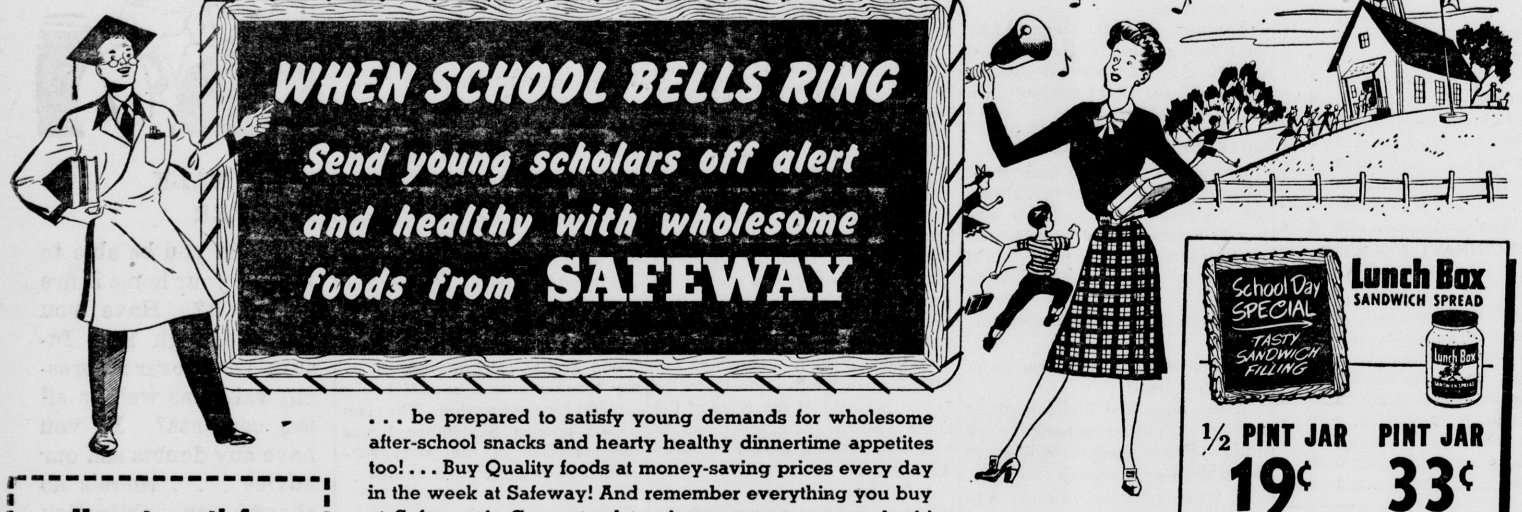

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by Carol Drake

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...Around the Township...

Wedding Sunday for Mary Santos

Miss Mary Santos, daughter of Mrs. Marie Santos of Mission San Jose, will be united in marriage Sunday, September 7, at St. Joseph's Church to Mr. Arthur V. Duarte of Centerville.

Father John Leal will officiate at the three o'clock ceremony.

The bride-to-be has chosen her sister, Lorraine Santos, to be her maid of honor. Mr. August Duarte, brother of the benedict-elect, will be best man, and Mr. Joseph

MARY SANTOS

Santos, brother of the bride, will give her away.

Miss Santos has chosen the traditional white satin for her wedding gown, which will be fashioned with a long train and marquisette yoke embroidered in seed pearls. A fingertip illusion veil falling from a crown of pearls, completes the costume. She will carry a white prayer book with an orchid marker and bouvardia streamers.

The maid of honor will be in a pink marquisette frock, with fitted bodice and a flaired skirt. She will wear a pink picture hat and will carry a bouquet of pink baby roses.

The bride's mother will wear a gray suit with black accessories, and an orchid corsage.

Mrs. Velma Lewis will play organ music for the ceremony, and later, at the reception at the I.D.E.S. Hall at 8 o'clock, Mr. Herman Mesquite will provide the music.

The bride-elect is a graduate of the Lee Ann Beauty Academy in Oakland and has recently been employed as a beauty operator at the El Pajaro Beauty Salon in Niles.

Mr. Duarte is a graduate of Washington Union High School, attended San Jose State, and spent four years in the army where he served as a technical sergeant.

Following an extended honeymoon, the couple will make their home in Centerville.

At Last!— He Gets One

Young Tom Champion of Niles claims that his attractive blonde British wife brings him luck. Out hunting several times this season alone, he failed to bring back any deer. One day last week, however, his wife decided that she wanted to go along, so the two went out to Niles Canyon. The deer were plentiful—but they were all does. Then suddenly Mrs. Champion called out, "There's one!" and sure enough, there was a fine buck. So the Champion family is having venison this year after all.

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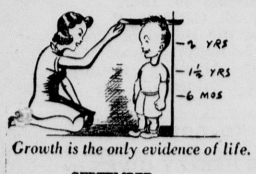

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10—Ferry's victory at Battle of Lake Erie, 1813.

11—Russian settlement fort in Cazadero, Calif., dedicated, 1812.

12—171st birthday of New York State, 1947.

13—John J. Pershing born, 1860.

14—"Star Spangled Banner" written, 1814.

15—Battle of Harpers Ferry, 1862.

16—Pilgrims sailed on "Mayflower" from Plymouth, 1620.

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Niles Man to Wed San Jose Girl

A bachelor's dinner for Mr. Lawrence P. Moise of Niles, who will be married Sunday to Miss Erma Genovesi of San Jose, was given Wednesday evening at the Florence Restaurant in Niles with the benedict-elect's many friends extending their congratulations and presenting him with a handsome radio.

Those who attended the affair included Messrs Louis Havey, William Dyer, Stuart Wilkinson, Edward Silva, Albert Silva, William Silva, Robert Zwissig, Ben Mozzetti, Amador Pratali, Red Rebello, Bud Alves, Jack Kelly, Virgil Young, Peter Marchese, Louis Boitano, Mario Moise, Leonard Smith, Jack Genovesi, Thomas Shugliano, Leo Stephanelli, Louis Dyer, Joe Dyer, Marino Quartaroli.

The wedding will be solemnized at a nuptial mass Sunday at 12:15 at Holy Family Church in San Jose. The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Genovesi of San Jose, will be given in marriage by her father. She has chosen her sister, Norma, as her maid-of-honor and the following bridesmaids: Isola Dyer, sister of the groom, Edna Marchese and Mary Felice.

Mr. Louis Havey will do best man honors; and those who will show the guests to their seats will be Messr William Dyer, Rico Cortapasi and Peter Marchese.

The bride, who attended Notre Dame in San Jose, has been employed for several years in the office of Langendorf's.

Mr. Moise, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mario Moise of Niles, is a graduate of Washington High, and served for three years in the navy during the war. He is now employed as a machinist at the Pacific States Steel Mill.

Following the ceremony Sunday a family dinner will be held at the St. Clair Hotel, with a reception in the evening at the San Jose Woman's Club.

The couple will make their home in Niles.

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Bassinet Shower For Niles Woman

Mrs. Agnes Gomes of Niles was honored at a stork shower on last Friday night, August 29, given by her sister, Mrs. Eleanor Perry.

A miniature clothes line with baby clothes was the main decoration. Pink, blue and white asters were in the center of the table. Two very beautiful cakes helped carry out the baby theme, one having pink and white frosting and the other having blue and white. On one cake "Hope it's a Boy" was printed; on the other, "Hope it's a Girl."

Cards and bingo were played with prizes for the winners

Following the games Mrs. Gomes opened the many lovely and all very useful gifts. Refreshments of sandwiches, relishes, potato chips, cake and coffee were served.

Those who helped make the evening a success were: Leonora Silva, Eleanor Perry and son Denny, Louise Silva, Alice King and daughters, Beth and Bonnie, Edna Azevedo, Mary Joseph, Annie Vargas, Mae George and daughters, Rose Harvey, Rose Perry, Mamie Perry, Minnie Sa, Mae Freitas, Lorraine Andrade, Gussie Borba, Lena Vargas and Emma, Elsie Duarte and daughter, Florence Bettencourt, Edna Griswold, Mrs. Soito and Delphine, Stella Nunes and Gloria, Mary Azevedo and Doris Allen.

The following sent gifts but fere unable to attend: Tessie Maciel, Belle Silva, Grace Texera, Margie Silva, Helen Goularte, Helen Lewis and Elaine, Mrs. Frank Goularte, Mrs. Jim Morrison and daughters, Mrs. Ben Barker, Mrs. Mary Valles and daughters, and Dorothy Buswell.

Couple Return from Studies in Mexico

Visitors in Niles this week were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Young who have been attending summer session at the University in Mexico City. They had been in our neighboring country for the past seven weeks and had many interesting experiences to tell their friends and relatives here. Mrs. Young, a teacher in an Alameda school, is the niece of Mrs. Wayne Russell, Mrs. Helen Nelson and Miss Cecelia Enos of Niles. Her grandmother is Mrs. Rosalie Enos.

Mr. Young is on the teaching staff at the University of San Francisco, where he teaches journalism.

At Tahoe

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Jackson of Niles, accompanied by Janice Roderick and Tony Bettencourt, recently spent four days at Lake Tahoe and Reno.

Alum Rock Picnickers

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Swartz of Niles, Mrs. Antoinette Azevedo of Mission San Jose, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pereira and daughters, Patsy and Charlene, of Irvington, were picnickers at Alum Rock Park Sunday.

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BIRDIE BASSETT of Gridley (center), Worthy Grand Matron O.E.S., shown with Mrs. Josephine Brown of Newark on her right and Miss Edith Bergman, Centerville, on her left. The local women are the two oldest members of Orient Chapter and were honored when the Worthy Grand Matron made her official visit to a joint meeting of the Hayward Chapter, Golden Wave of San Leandro and Orient Chapter, Centerville, on the night of August 13.

Dorothy Jackson Here

Miss Dorothy Jackson, co-ed at the University of California, has been visiting at the Bertolotti home in Newark. She expects to be here for the remainder of the week, and then will continue her studies at Cal. Dorothy is a graduate of W.U.H.S.

Newark Campers

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry, Louis Perry and daughter, Sylvia, all of Newark, were campers at Palm Beach Park at Watsonville Sunday and Monday and reported an enjoyable time.

At Half Moon Bay

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haynes and daughter, Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. Step Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Peixoto and sons Merle, Delbert and Marvin, all of Irvington, spent the three-day week-end holiday at the Peixoto cabin at Martin's Beach at Half Moon Bay.

Home from Visit

Mr. and Mrs. John Souza, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Smith and Joseph Sarmento, all of Warm Springs, spent the three-day holiday visiting Mr. Souza's relatives in Auroyo Grande. They returned home late Monday night.

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New Orleans Resident Settled Here Now

Charmed with the weather and the countryside here, Mrs. Arthur Freeman, wife of the Rev. Freeman of St. James Episcopal Church in Centerville, is looking forward with eagerness to putting down roots, so to speak, in this community. "The weather is wonderful here," said Mrs. Freeman, who arrived only three weeks ago from New Orleans to join her husband who has been here for four months.

Now comfortably established in the rectory, Mrs. Freeman is enjoying our mild California weather. "It gets so warm in the south," she said in her delightfully southern accent, "and we don't even have any relief from the heat at nights. To me, California is a garden of Eden."

Mrs. Freeman and her two-year-old daughter, Cynthia, arrived from the south on the Sunset Limited.

The Rev. Mr. Freeman, a graduate of Sewanee Theological Seminary in Tennessee, was the assistant rector at St. Andrew's in Jackson, Mississippi, prior to his appointment as rector at St. James.

Red Ryder Plays A New Role

Miss Jacqueline Gorman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gorman of Niles, has returned home from southern California where she acted as maid of honor for the former Alvina Temple who became the bride of Ned Bergen of Hollywood at an informal garden wedding.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, Mr. Brook Temple (better known as Red Ryder of radio fame) wore a garden length frock of white faille, an heirloom lace cap, and carried an old-fashioned bouquet.

Miss Gorman, the bride's only attendant, was attired in a pink afternoon frock and carried a bouquet of tuberous begonias.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the spacious gardens where friends of the theater and radio world assembled to toast the bride and groom.

Also present at the wedding was Mrs. Gorman who flew down south to join her daughter. The two returned by train.

Champions Return

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Champion have returned to their Niles home after having spent several days at Jenner-by-the-Sea. They also have visited in Santa Rosa and the Feather River country during the summer.

On their way home from Jenner they stopped at Kentfield to say hello to Mrs. W. H. Bruns (Josephine Champion) and her family.

To Study Pharmacy

George Smith, who studied for three years at San Jose State, will leave Monday for southern California where he will enter the University of California School of Pharmacy.

Irvingtonites Home From 3 Weeks' Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Avilla and Miss Beatrice Williams, all of Irvington, arrived home last weekend from a three weeks' motoring trip throughout the Pacific Northwest and Canada. Points of scenic interest visited were Victoria, Lake Louise, Banff, Glacier National Park, Yellowstone National Park, and Salt Lake City, Utah.

They reported having a wonderful time and took eight rolls of color movies of the highlights of the trip. They were quick to praise the hospitality of the Canadians and were surprised at the low prices in the neighboring country, relating that a choice steak dinner could be had for $1. They arrived in Salt Lake City in time to enjoy several days of the Centennial celebration and witness many of the colorful exhibitions. The most beautiful spot visited on the trip was Lake Louise, reports Mrs. Rose.

Impressions of Canadian Tour

Scenery that was breath-taking in beauty, precipitous roads, good food but untidy restaurants, beautiful new cars with plexiglass tops, and luxuriant tweeds, but behind-the-times styles were some of the impressions that Mrs. Ethel Grau, just returned from a trip to Canada with her husband and daughter, Betty, brought back with her.

"Lake Louise and Banff were beautiful," said Mrs. Grau who, artist that she is, was deeply appreciative of Nature's handiwork there. Jasper Park, too, she thought beautiful. But one of the things that impressed her most was the famous "Old Carabou Trail," a hazardous though spectacularly beautiful road.

They left their car in Vancouver and took a trip to Victoria by plane, which took only 20 minutes. They made the return trip by boat—which took six hours!

Like most of those who tour Canada, Mrs. Grau conceded that the food was good—and inexpensive. "But," she added, "they don't keep their tables wiped off in the restaurants. They're not as clean about such things as we are here."

Sunday at Fair

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown of Warm Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rose of Centerville, and Mr. and Mrs. Chick Santos of Centerville, attended the State Fair at Sacramento Sunday. They reported the crowd tremendous, the heat terrific and the dust terrible.

In Sacramento

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Leal of Irvington drove to Sacramento Sunday where they attended two days of the State Fair. Vernon returned home early Tuesday morning but Mrs. Leal remained for a week's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jones.

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Thinking Things Over . . .

By VIVIAN BATMAN

There's nothing as exciting as an airplane trip, especially if you have two lively boys aloft with you. I'll give you my impressions of our flight to Sacramento last Saturday. It was our first time in the air.

Fasten your safety belts, boys, we're about to take off . . . Why? Well, it's—it's safer, I guess . . . No, we're not going to crash . . . No, they're not just for babies. They're for everybody. See? Everybody's fastening their belts. . . , Oh, for goodness sake, ask the stewardess why. I don't know! . . . Now we're off the ground. Isn't this wonderful! . . Yes, you may unfasten your belts now. But sit right there! . . . Boys! Quit pulling those things out! No, I don't know what they are, but I'm sure they'll crash the plane or something if you monkey with them. . . . Stop. Stewardess! They've done something! . . . Only an air vent? Oh, thank goodness. . . . Your ears? Popping? Oh, that's silly. You're just imagining it. . . . No, mine don't pop. Well—not much. Oh, thank you, stewardess, for this chewing gum. It DOES help, doesn't it boys? . . . No, don't ask her for any more! And quit chewing it so loud. We can even hear the engines. . . . Boys! Put those things back under the seats. They're NOT ice-cream cartons. They're—well, some times people get sick. . . . Stop saying that! You're NOT getting sick. No! Don't ask her for any more chewing gum. . . . Oh, thank you, stewardess, for these dark glasses. They DO help with this bright sun, don't they? Aren't they cute, boys? You can take them home as souvenirs. . . . No. you can't ask her for any more for your friends. They give these just to the passengers. . . . Boys! Come back here! Where are you going? Stewardess! Help! They're opening the door! Oh, STOP THEM! Oh. I see, stewardess. I'm sorry. I thought it was the door going out. . . . They bolt it from the outside? Oh, that's a relief! . . .Well, boys, isn't this a lovely trip? . . . You don't like it? Why not? . . . Good gracious, you can't expect them to do rolls and loops in these big planes. . . . No. you're NOT thirsty. You're just imagining it. Don't call that stewardess again or I'll—Oh, we're going down. It's time to fasten your safety belts again. . . . How can you SAY you hope we'll crash! And this HASN'T been a dull trip—not for me, anyhow. . . . Good-bye, stewardess. . . . Did I enjoy the beautiful scenery? Well, no, I didn't. As a matter of fact, I didn't see any of it.

MEET THE GOVERNOR

We attended the press-radio luncheon at the State Fair last Saturday. The governor was there. They served all those at his table before they served the rest of us. As I was hungry, it made me madder and madder at him every time he took a bite. Hmm, I thought vindictively, that's what prestige does; he even gets to eat first.

I had plenty of time to notice things about him, like he eats with his left hand. He had people on either side of him, but nobody seemed to be talking to him. As far as those around him were concerned, he was nobody special. And here, I thought wonderingly, is a possible future president! Looking at him speculatively, wondering what joy he got out of being governor, and how all these big public functions affected him, I was suddenly reminded of what at least two different people in Niles had said at one time, "The governor looks like Fred Duffie Sr."

It was true. The governor is an older edition of our local agricultural inspector.

MEET RUDY VALLEE

Rudy Vallee and George Jessel were also at the luncheon. Rudy smoked a cigar and kept on talking when the beautiful candidates for queen of the centennial were being presented. Perhaps Rudy has become immune to beauty. Once, however, when some young singers were struggling through a song up on the stage without the aid of a microphone, Rudy got up, casually walked up to the stage, and placed a mike in front of the grateful trio. The song was promptly interrupted by a round of applause for Rudy. And could he take it!

CONFIDENTIALLY?

The following is a wisp of conversation I overheard this week:

"Confidentially, what do you think of Chester Stanley?"

Isn't it too bad that I couldn't linger to hear the rest of it?

GIRL SCOUTS RETURN FROM CAMPING TRIP

Four Niles Girl Scouts, and three Niles counselors returned from the Girl Scout Camp at Big Basin this week, with a glowing report of the wonderful time they had during their two weeks' outing.

The girls were Joan Vervais, Sue Gorman, Virginia Mottershaw and Mary Lynn Lamoreux. The three counselors were Mmes. Vervais, Teeter and Creighton.

The girls had an exciting time hiking, swimming, doing handicraft work, and just generally having fun. Among the interesting and unusual things they made were some moccasins and belts.

The Scouts, as well as their counselors, are looking forward to camping again next summer.

ANNUAL BARBECUE

Members of Washington Union High School faculty and their guests and members of the Board of Trustees of the school and their guests will hold their annual barbecue dinner at Alum Rock Park September 10 at 7 p.m.

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4-H Champion At State Fair

The Junior Division at the California State Fair in Sacramento, August 28 through September 7, is attracting a large number of exhibits in the livestock division with $18,000 in premiums being offered. One of the State's outstanding 4-H club girls is Miss Ramona Buscher of Franklin, California. She is shown in the pic ture with her top Ayrshire cow. Miss Buscher's stock has won many championships.

OUR READERS WRITE . . .

The Editor, Sir:

Are we a nation of Christians? I wonder! Are we good Americans, desiring others to be good Americans? Again I wonder! We send money abroad to Christianize the heathen peoples. We object to the small Chinatowns, Italian sections, etc., in our cities. We say, "Goody" and "They ought to be sent back to their homelands" when a fire, a tong fight, or some calamity strikes these sections.

We say of all foreign elements that if they stay in our great and glorious country, they should learn our language and our customs, that they should build homes like the typical American home, in short that they should become Americans in our great melting pots of nations. But when a person of Japanese or Negro or Philippine extraction wants to go to our schools, many object to having their children mingling with these children.

When these other races wish to mingle with us "Americans," or build or buy nice homes among us to get away from the "foreign section," we object. Object if they live in a "foreign colony in our midst" and object if they try to get away from it. Don't want to sit near them in our churches and shy away from speaking to them to tell them we are glad they are wanting to be Christians but salving our consciences by sending a few dollars abroad to Christianize them over there. • I wonder if we shall want to stay away from Heaven and our Saviour because He came to save them as well as us.

For shame, and again I say for shame on our so-called Christianity and Americanism! Many of these "undesirables" or "lower caste" peoples gave their lives to save our country and theirs. They saved the lives of many of our sons.

Let's treat them as our Saviour would and our country should.

A READER

Mr. Batman
Dear Sir

Would it be possible for you to print the enclosed article in your paper?

It concerns a woman who was greatly loved by young people and many of their parents. These young people, many of whom are married and raising young families, have scattered, but there still remain many in the Township who would appreciate reading this article in your paper.

Thanking you, I am,
Yours truly,
ELIZABETH TOWNSEND
641 So. Sixth Street
San Jose, California

TO COOKIE

In the last weeks many of those who had learned to love her heard of the passing of Cookie.

Cookie was the pet name of Mrs. Carthy, who served as cook for the Niles Grammar School Cafeteria during the years '34-'39 inclusive.

Cookie served the kiddies of the school well. As many of the P.T.A. members of those years will remember.

But the place where Cookie truly walked into the hearts of girls and leaders alike was serving with the Camp Fire Girls of Washington Township, as cook for the girls' summer camp, "Camp Adahi."

Cookie's greatest joy was to cook for the girls. By that we do not mean that Cookie opened a can and served it. Oh no! Cookie baked pies, hot rolls and ginger bread on an old wood stove in the woods.

In the evening, around the campfire, when the younger girls had been tucked away, Cookie always brought out something special for her particular pets, "The Counselors." How they loved it! With the treats came talks,—heart-to-heart talks.

Cookie was was quite a philosopher. She was able to offer bits of sage advice many times. Her sense of fairness and justice was unique.

Cookie's sense of humor often put the camp to rights, when homesick youngsters would be wishing for home. Cookie's hearty laugh would ring out through the woods. Not knowing what the joke was about, but catching the infectious laughter, the youngster would look up, with her eyes full of laughter too.

To all of us who worked side by side with Cookie, will be memories that will live on, as Cookie was an institution within herself.

Without this noble soul, "Adahi Campfire Girls Summer Camp" would not have been possible.

The Campfire Girls of Washington Township of the years 1930-1934 wish to dedicate these lines.

Mrs. A. (Fournier) Silva, Mrs. J. (Solon) Rathbone, Mrs. D. (Coley) Roraback, Mrs. R. (Munger) Whipple, Mrs. K. (Rose) Comfort, and many, many more names might be added.

SERVICES HERE TODAY FOR CRECESSCIO TORREZ

Funeral services for Crecesscio Torrez, 45, who died at his home in Livermore on September 3, will be held at 9 a.m. today from the parlors of the Berge Mortuary Company, Niles. A requiem mass will be said at St. Anne's Church in Alvarado at 9:30.

Torrez was a native of Mexico but had resided in California for the past 27 years and was a resident of Alvarado for many years. He was unmarried.

A rosary service was recited at the mortuary parlors last night.

Interment will be at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Hayward.

MARINERS CLUB TO PICNIC AT HAYWARD PARK

The Mariners Club, young married peoples social group of the Newark Presbyterian Church, will hold a picnic supper at Hayward Memorial Park next Monday evening, September 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Cogswell and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Alberts will be co-hosts of the affair.

The club, which has held only a few meetings, now boasts of a membership of close to 15 couples.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of Irvington School District of Alameda County, California, hereby calls for sealed proposals to be delivered to the Clerk of said Board at the Irvington School Building, located on the southwesterly side of the State Highway from Centerville to Irvington northwesterly from its intersection with Center Street in the unincorporated town of Irvington, County of Alameda, State of California, until the 12th day of September, 1947, at 7:00 o'clock P.M., at which time and place said bids will be opened for leasing a new school bus to said district for the school year 1947-1948, in accordance with the general conditions and specifications for the same on file with the Clerk of said Board at the address above mentioned.

Each bidder shall agree in his bid to grant to said school district the options to extend said lease and to purchase said bus as more fully described in the specifications and proposal form on file with said Board of Trustees.

Bids must be made on the form of proposal which may be obtained from the Clerk of the said Board of Trustees at the address above given and must be signed by the bidder and accompanied by a check in the amount of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) certified without qualification by a responsible bank or banker, and payable at sight to the Irvington School District of Alameda County, California, to be retained by said district as agreed and liquidated damages should the party or parties whose bid is accepted fail to enter into the lease after the award or fail to give the bond required for the faithful performance of the terms of said lease.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

DATED: August 26, 1947.

E. M. GRIMMER
Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Irvington School District of Alameda County, State of California.

A29-S5

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 100005 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, LOUIS B. ETTLIN, Administrator of the Estate of LOUIE ETTLIN, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within six months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the office of ALLEN G. NORRIS and LeROY A. BROUN, Centerville, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: August 8, 1947.

LOUIS B. ETTLIN
Administrator of the estate of the above named decedent.

ALLEN G. NORRIS
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SCHOOL BELLS

Deserting ball fields and swimming polls; emptying playgrounds, Scout camps and basement clubrooms; leaving vacation jobs as farmhands, soda jerks, and salesgirls, once again an army of tots and teenagers answers the ring of the school bell.

The kids probably won't notice it, but our great democratic institution of public schools appears to be in somewhat better shape than in the recent past. California's new constitutional amendment guaranteeing at least modest recompense for school teachers, has eased somewhat a condition of dwindling teacher supply that a year ago was alarming.

The recent action of the State Board of Education in eliminating passages in new elementary arithmetic textbooks that laid undue stress on "social significance" reflects a healthy public concern that our free schools remain free of political propagandizing.

The Board made it clear that the inclusion of controversial material in textbooks when it is an integral part of the subject is entirely in order. But its action indicates that the popularity of extreme techniques of so-called "progressive" education has lessened with both public and educators. The new policy is one of rejection of the more fanciful tenets and adoption only of methods of proven worth to augment basic teaching principles.

That seems as it should be. The sudden order resolved, by the school bells ringing, out of the hurly-burly clamor of a thousand youthful activities, is a minor miracle in itself. But a major miracle is the equal opportunity provided all America's kids, rich or poor, to partake in the process of absorbing unadulterated learning in preparation for the day when the problems of a tough old world must be faced alone and unassisted.

RAIN ON TAP

Science has learned how to make rain.

A few simple props are required: a cumulo-nimbus type of cloud, dry ice, a plane equipped with oxygen to travel 16,000 feet up in the air.

The benefits to be derived from this newest evidence of the power of man's mind over matter are legion. If the southeast forty needs water, just go up and pop the first cumulo-nimbus cloud that comes floating by. If rain threatens a ball game, divert it a block away.

But on second thought, the possibilities for untold grief and anguish are legion, too. The courts will be full of lawsuits to determine who has priority on those cumulo-nimbus clouds. And can't you picture the wrath of the woman whose washing got soaked from the premature bursting of the cloud that nature intended for the ball park?

Then there's the weather man. With rain on tap, he can predict any old weather he wants to, then fly out the next day and make good. Can anybody imagine what life would be like when we can't rib the weather man?

A WESTERNER IN WASHINGTON

By ALLEN DRURY

ANOTHER TAX BILL

Leading Westerners in the Senate united in predicting that taxes will be one of the major issues in the next session of Congress, and that what is done on taxes may have an important bearing on the presidential election.

Chairman Eugene D. Millikin (R.,Colo.) of the Senate Finance Committee says flatly that there will be another tax bill. He says it will be sent to the President as soon as possible after the session begins and that if the President vetoes it—as he very likely will—another attempt will be made to pass it over his veto.

This the Republicans attempted twice in the recent session and twice the President's veto was sustained, first by the House and later by the Senate.

The Republicans feel now that the House is safely under control. They are not so sure about the Senate. The prompt reaction to Millikin's promise of new tax legislation seems to indicate that the Senate, as on so many issues, is the key to taxes.

Despite Millikin's professed optimism about being able to get some kind of tax bill through the new session, three of his fellow Westerners—all Democrats—are highly skeptical.

Sen. Joseph C. O'Mahoney (D., Wyo.) agrees that there should be some tax reform, but adds that tax reform "is something very different from tax reduction by the broad-axe method on which the two bills this session were based."

Sen. Carl A. Hatch (R.,N.M.) says he considers revision of the tax structure so important that Congress should be called into special session this fall to do it. But, he says, the bill the Republicans have tried to put through is not the answer.

And Senator Sheridan Downey (D., Cal.) says that while he might favor a tax relief in the form of increased exemptions for dependents, "I am not in favor of any reduction on higher incomes."

Taken in conjunction with the opposition of another critical Westerner, Oregon's Wayne Morse (R.), and the colleagues he can muster into line against tax exemption, it may be that these Democratic statements indicate as dismal a failure for Republican tax strategy in the next session as in the one just past. Certainly they indicate an uphill fight, for while a tax bill can be approved with a handsome majority on first passage it only takes one-third of those voting to block it when the question comes on overriding a veto.

This Millikin is aware, and on that point he is making no predictions. Like other Republicans, however, he professes to be confident that the public demand for tax reduction will be so great by next year that the task of passing a bill will be greatly simplified.

At the moment, he and others who have been out home recently have been finding out, there seems to be a considerable public apathy toward tax reduction. People are worried about war and they are worried about the national debt; they seem to feel that the country and the world are not yet sufficiently out of the woods so that taxes can safely be reduced.

In any event, there are a couple of compromises which are probably going to have to be made, if a new tax bill is to be successful.

In the first place, the bill will probably have to give low-income brackets a much greater preference in exemptions than the two vetoed bills this year; and secondly, it is going to have to satisfy senators from states which do not have community-property laws by making the community-property principal apply to all federal income taxes.

O'Mahoney, strangely enough for an anti-monopolist, holds out for one thing more: a downward revision in inheritance taxes. They are too high now, he says, and their end result is to force the sale of small businessmen so that the heirs may pay off the taxes. Big businesses step in and take over, he says, and this simply means more monopoly.

—COURTESY OF THE SACRAMENTO BEE

DR. BLACOW NAMED DEAN OF COLLEGE

Dr. Joseph Blacow, Irvington, a former faculty member of Stanford University, assumed the duties as Dean of Adult Education and head of the business education department of the new Monterey Peninsular College at Monterey Tuesday.

Dr. Blacow is a native of Dublin but has lived in Washington Township for many years. He is a graduate of Washington Union High School, San Jose State College and received his M.A. and doctorate from Stanford University.

For five years prior to his enlistment in the Army in World War II he was head of the commercial department at Lassan Junior College at Susanville. He was discharged from the army with the rank of captain after more than three years' service.

Mrs. Blacow, postmaster at Irvington for many years, resigned her position as clerk at the Newark post office effective September 1. The couple will reside at 160 18th street, Pacific Grove, but have expressed their intentions to retain their Irvington home where they plan to spend each summer vacation.

The forests in the United States now provide jobs for about 3,750,000 persons.

SAN JOSE BOOKS OPERA RIGOLETTO

With Pietro Cimara conducting a stellar cast which includes such brilliant luminaries as Lawrence Tibbett, Nadine Conner and Jan Peerce in the leading roles, with Virgilio Lazzari and Clarence Turner as principals in support, the San Francisco Opera Company will be presented by the San Jose Opera Guild in a performance of Verdi's "Rigoletto" on Saturday evening, September 20, at 8:30 in the San Jose auditorium.

The famous "La Donna e Mobile" for the tenor, the coloratura aria "Caro Nome," the magnificent Rigoletto aria, the duet between father and daughter, and the superb quartet, make the music of "Rigoletto" among the greatest of opera writings.

Tickets for "Rigoletto" are on sale at the Denny-Watrous box office, San Jose auditorium.

REBEKAH NEWS

There will be a short business meeting Friday, September 5, after which initiatory ceremonies will be held for a class of candidates.

Gertrude Davis and her committee will have charge of the social part of the evening. Iva Marble and her committee will have charge of decorations.

The meeting will start promptly at eight o'clock, according to Maggie Neill, noble grand.

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"I hope nothing happens to you while we're gone," you think, with an affectionate feeling towards the house which, because it holds memories so dear to you, you have come to look upon as a friend.

It may have been with such a thought in mind that Mrs. Jack Riele of Dublin Boulevard, Hayward, left her home last Tuesday to come to Centerville to do some bookkeeping for her father, Herman Mau. With her were her two children.

Mrs. Diele had a pleasant day in Centerville, helping her father and visiting with her mother. It was with a light heart then that she bought her groceries and went home to prepare the evening meal for her husband and children.

She rounded the curve of the road that led to their little four-acre ranch. She looked towards the house. But there was no house. Just a pile of ashes lay where their cozy little home had been.

The shock was so great that at first she couldn't believe it. Her two little puppies! The canary birds! The children's clothes! Pictures, keepsakes, furniture, all the things that had become precious to them through several years of married life, gone! Everything gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Riele are still reeling under the awful blow, but friends and relatives are coming to their rescue to tide them over until they can get back on their feet again. The Salvation Army, too, is taking a hand.

Unfortunately the Rieles had become so fond of their home and so anxious to own it completely that almost every penny went into payments on it, with the result that they had been telling friends jubilantly, "Only one more year and it will be completely ours."

There's only one ray of sunshine that Mrs. Riele can find in the tragic dilemma: the new washing machine which she had ordered had not yet arrived.

So far there has been no explanation for the cause of the fire.

BERNARDO TO CONCLAVE

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of Washington Union High School held Tuesday evening, Manuel J. Bernardo was named as delegate to attend the Trustees' Association convention in Sacramento September 28 through October 1.

CENTERVILLE IN CAMPAIGN FOR COUNTY OFFICES

The proposal to the County Board of Supervisors that they erect a new substation building in Centerville to house the units of the county offices now located in Hayward, was the main topic of discussion at a meeting of the Centerville Chamber of Commerce held last night in the Justice Court.

Vice-President Fred Rogers presided in the absence of President Charles Wauhab, and read the following letter which he has forwarded to Supervisor Chester A. Stanley:

Dear Supervisor Stanley:

We note with much interest the recent action upon the part of the Niles Chamber of Commerce in requesting consideration of that community for the erection of a building to house the Niles Justice Court, the offices of the Justice of the Peace, and the Deputy Sheriff's Substation. In addition they requested that you consider Niles as the location for other county offices now located at Hayward.

We most sincerely and urgently request that you give very serious consideration and thought to Centerville as being far more logical and suitable location for the various county offices, for the following reasons:

1. Centerville was so named because of its central location—it is the hub of this entire area.

2. Centerville is on the main highway between Oakland and San Jose—a much more direct and faster route of travel and communication for the higher county officials to their offices in this end of the county. With the completion of the new Speedway, it will become still easier to reach Centerville, at times when minutes count.

3. Before many years have passed, you will see Centerville very much more important than any other community in Southern Alameda county, as the findings of the Alameda County Planning Committee will attest in full. This is the natural place for expansion to take place on all sides; industry to the west, and residents towards the hills.

4. Radiating out from Centerville are excellent routes — and short ones—within easy and fast touch with every one of the towns in Washington Township.

It is then, for the above reasons, that we again urge that you give Centerville most serious consideration because of its enviable position as "The Heart of Washington Township."

Respectfully,
FRED ROGERS,
Vice-President, Centerville Chamber of Commerce.

Also discussed were several plans for street improvement with a survey to be made on the possibility of opening up some of the blind streets in the community.

Studies of animals indicate that the greater their mental capacities the more sleep they require, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

LOCAL VINTNERS WIN MEDALS AT STATE FAIR

Our township vintners covered themselves with glory this week at the State Fair. Wiebel's Winery won an award for their dry vermouth, and Mrs. Mayock of Los Amigos walked off not only with the silver medal for her Sauvignon Blanc but with five other awards.

The other awards were for her Cabernet, Burgundy, Black Pinot Noir, Malvoisie, and Sherry Sac.

NILES ALIEN TO SURPERIOR COURT

Facing felony charges of being an alien possessing a concealable firearm, Manuel Basurto, 42, Niles labor contractor, was held on answer to superior court at a preliminary examination before San Jose Police Judge Percy O'Connor last Friday.

Basurto was freed on $500 cash bail. He was arrested on a drunk charge outside a San Jose dance hall on August 25 and the loaded automatic pistol was found in his car.

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Deputies of the sheriff's office have been ordered to post the machines with a slip headed with the phrase, "Request for Cooperation."

The slips read: Your car is parked in violation of County Ordinance and a citation will be issued for further violation.

E. W. Forsell, Veteran Administration representative in this area, will return from his vacation this week-end and will be at the Niles Memorial Building Monday from 9 a.m. until 12 noon to consult with war veterans.

LOVE IN A GREYHOUND STATION

Twin sisters, Lorrene and Lora McHenry, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McHenry of Decoto, will have more reasons than most brides to remember their honeymoon.

The two girls were married Saturday in Reno, Lorrene to Clyde Miller of Niles, and Lora to Charles Parrish, also of Niles.

The ceremony went off according to schedule, but from then on the traditional honeymoon went completely berserk. There was no meeting of glances and holding of hands over a little candlelit table in a cozy dining spot; no shy request for "a room for two" at some secret honeymoon hotel. Nothing at all, in fact, that custom holds is the accepted procedure for newlyweds.

The whole thing came about because just two hours after the wedding the two couples found themselves the victims of an auto wreck. They were on their way to Auburn when their car crashed.

It was one o'clock when the accident occurred. They waited in Auburn, their bruises smarting, until midnight for a bus.

The bus took them to Sacramento. They waited in the Sacramento bus station three more hours for a bus. They got on the bus at four a.m. At Stockton they had to wait in the bus station until nine a.m. for a bus to Hayward.

They eventually arrived around noon on Sunday at the McHenry home in Decoto where Mrs. McHenry had prepared a wedding breakfast. But the principals were so exhausted that all they could think of was sleep. So they slept.

And now, when asked where they spent their honeymoons these twin brides won't give the usual reply, of "Tahoe" or "Yosemite" or "Carmel." No, not at all. They'll simply say, "We spent our honeymoon in bus stations."

Both couples plan to make their home in Niles.

Home from Kansas

Betty Lou Nevels, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Nevels of Irvington, returned home Sunday from Wichita, Kansas, where she had been visiting relatives for the past month.

Fair Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. John Kellerman of Newark and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gisler of Niles motored to Sacramento Saturday morning to attend the State Fair. They returned home that night.

In Woodford

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roderick and daughter, Shirley Ann, of Niles recently spent a week in Woodford.

HECTIC SEARCH MADE FOR LOST HEIRLOOM

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BELONGED TO LATE MRS. ANNIE HALEY

Those in the township who remember Mrs. Annie B. Haley of Newark who died recently in her nineties may remember an Etruscan pin which she treasured. This pin was given to her by her mother, and she valued it highly, so highly, in fact, that when she gave it to her granddaughter, Mrs. Marcella Hewitt, shortly before her death, she asked Mrs. Hewitt to guard it carefully.

Mrs. Hewitt, who now lives on the Haley ranch in Newark with her husband and two children, was touched by the old lady's thoughtfulness and promised to treasure it. She discovered, after Mrs. Haley's death, that the pin, above its intrinsic value, was worth several hundred dollars in cash, as a collector's item. But she had no intention of selling it, and wore it upon every occasion with a great deal of pride.

Last Sunday, at the Poultry Producers picnic at Linda Vista Park, Mrs. Hewitt lost the valuable pin.

She didn't notice the loss, however, until she went to get the pin off of her dress several days later.

She was horrified at the loss. "I've lost many things in my life," but nothing that made me feel worse," said Mrs. Hewitt. "It was the one thing that my grandmother gave to me personally that I treasured most."

Mr. Hewitt, in desperation, and to console his wife, went back to Linda Vista Park.

"Not much chance of you finding it now," was the comment by someone in charge at Linda Vista.

But Mr. Hewitt was persistent. He sifted all the sand underneath the picnic table.

"Not much use of doing that," was the dry comment of the Linda Vista man. "There's been four picnics here since Sunday. Somebody would've picked it up sure by now."

There's always a long shot, though, and Mr. Hewitt took it. He kept looking. And—you guessed it—he found it! The sand, after an hour's sifting, finally yielded its treasure.

Now Mrs. Hewitt is wearing the pin on a chain fastened securely about her neck.

HOLD INQUEST ON HIGHWAY DEATH

A coroner's inquest of the death of Darcey E. Dunne, Wichita, Kansas, who was killed in a highway accident on August 14 at the intersection of Highway 17 and Niles Canyon Road, was held yesterday in the parlor of the Berge Mortuary Company, Niles.

Details of the crash which sent Dunne's two companions, Robert E. Buck and Dwight Thompson, also of Wichita, to the hospital where their condition is still regarded as serious, were related by highway patrol officers who investigated.

James M. Haykel, San Jose, driver of the large cement truck into which the station wagon occupied by the three youths crashed, declined to testify at the inquest.

Cause of Dunne's death was listed as hemorrhage due to a crushed skull.

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SAFETY WEEK ENDS WITH FESTIVALS

What is believed to be the first "all Safety" parade ever held will be presented in Hayward Saturday night by members of the Hayward Merchants' Association and the California Highway Patrol.

Merchants and the C.H.P. are presenting a number of illuminated floats, all depicting some phase of safety in the home, at work, on the road and at play.

The Safety Parade, which starts at approximately 7:30 o'clock, will conclude a week of safety observance. Following the parade there will be a western dance at the Hayward Veterans Memorial building with proceeds to benefit the C.H.P. Widows and Orphans Fund. Dude Martin and his entire "Roundup Gang" will be on hand to play for dancing.

Festivities will be continued on Sunday afternoon at the annual California Patrol Dublin Rodeo to take place at the Harry Rowell ranch arena in Dublin Canyon.

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